

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

September 25, 2017



A surfer waiting for the next set of waves to roll in was greeted by a whale at Pacifica State Beach, Pacifica, San Mateo County.

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National Terrorism Advisory System



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Level 1	Level 1	Level 1

7.1 Magnitude Earthquake, Puebla, State of Puebla, Mexico

On 09/19/17 at 1114 hours, a magnitude 7.1 earthquake occurred near Puebla, Mexico.

- Per Cal OES International Affairs:
 - As of 09/20/17, the Consul General of Mexico in Sacramento indicated that Mexico is not requesting international assistance.
 - Communication with the San Jose, San Francisco, and Sacramento Consul Generals continued to ensure communication and coordinated efforts.
 - Per the Consul General of Mexico in Sacramento, Mexico is concentrating their efforts on the US&R teams that are currently in the field.
- The Cal OES Earthquake and Tsunami Program Duty Officer (EQTP DO) reports that this size incident will continue to result in numerous potentially large aftershocks in the region over the next several days to weeks.
- Cal OES Duty Officers and International Affairs will continue to monitor the situation.
- U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) Activation: California US&R Task Force 2 (CA-TF2) Activated, Los Angeles County Fire Department – Type 1 International US&R with 67 personnel

US&R Deployment - Hurricane Maria

Mission Number 2017-FIRE-38901 (FEMA Activation / Alert). Resources requested in support of Hurricane Maria impacts:

- California US&R Task Force 2 (CA-TF2) Activated, Los Angeles County Fire Department - Type 4 US&R with 27 personnel
- California US&R Task Force 6 (CA-TF6) Activated, Riverside Fire Department - Type 4 US&R with 27 personnel
- California US&R Task Force 6 (CA-TF6) Activated, Mission Ready Package (MRP Canine), with 7 personnel
- California US&R Task Force 7 (CA-TF7) Activated, Sacramento Fire Department - Type 4 US&R with 27 personnel
- California US&R Task Force 1 (CA-TF1) Alert Status, Los Angeles Fire Department – Type 1 US&R with 80 personnel
- California US&R Task Force 4 (CA-TF4) Alert Status, Oakland Fire Department – Type 1 US&R with 80 personnel
- California US&R Red Incident Support Team (IST) – 11 personnel from California

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Cal OES EMAC Missions

- **2017-Cal OES-38848:** Two (2) California Volunteers staff to report to the Florida State EOC for response operations that will assist and supplement ESF-15 staff in coordination of Volunteers and Donations Management at local EOCs. Both staff deployed on 09/16/17 for a 13-day deployment. Demobilization is scheduled for 09/28/17.
- **2017-SOC-38856:** One (1) Public Assistance (PA) Coordinator from the state of New Jersey has been assigned to California through the EMAC system. The PA Coordinator traveled to California on 09/17/17 and reported to the JFO on 09/18/17.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 3
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Fire Mission Tasking

- **2017-FIRE-38476** has been approved for 2 Force Packages (8 Hand Crews) from California National Guard to support fire suppression activities on behalf of CAL FIRE. (Demobilizing)

Orleans Complex, Vegetation Fires, Siskiyou County

Location: Ukonom Mountain, 20 miles N of Orleans

Jurisdiction: Fed DPA, FRA, Six Rivers NF

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [09/25/17 at 0729 hours](#):

- 27,276 acres, 97% contained
- Expected Containment: 10/12/17
- Significant fires in the Complex: Ukonom, Haypress, Burney Fire, Forks Fire
- Minimal fire behavior with moderate to heavy precipitation over the fire area

Salmon August Complex, Vegetation Fires, Siskiyou County

Location: Bear Wallow Pk., Marble Mountain Wilderness, 9 miles W of Etna

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Klamath NF

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [09/25/17 at 0729 hours](#):

- 65,875 acres, 75% contained
- Expected Containment: 10/20/17
- Fires within the complex: Wallow and Deep
- No fire growth since last operational period, minimal interior fire behavior

FIRE ACTIVITY

Buck, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

Location: 2 miles NE of Buck Ridge, 2 miles NW of Black Mt.

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Shasta Trinity NF

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [09/25/17 at 0729 hours](#):

- 4,850 acres, [80% contained](#)
- Expected Containment: 10/15/17
- Moderate fire behavior with heavy fuels mainly contributing to fire spread

Helena, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

Location: Hwy 299 near Helena, Junction City, Weaverville area

Jurisdiction: State/Federal DPA, SRA/FRA, Shasta-Trinity Unit/Shasta-Trinity NF

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [09/25/17 at 0729 hours](#):

- 21,449 acres, 85% contained
- Expected Containment: 10/01/17
- Fire behavior remained minimal due to last night precipitation

FMAG

- On 09/01/17, a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was approved, declaration number FEMA-5199-FM-CA.

Proclamation

- On 08/31/17, Trinity County submitted a proclamation of local emergency. On 09/06/17 Trinity County requested CDAA and direct state assistance for private property debris removal.
- On 08/31/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Trinity County due to the effects of the Helena Fire. [Click here to read full Proclamation](#)

Creek, Vegetation Fire, Tuolumne County

Location: 6 miles SE of Cold Springs

Federal DPA, FRA, Stanislaus NF

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [09/25/17 at 0729 hours](#):

- 1,292 acres, 60% contained
- Expected Containment: 10/31/17

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes

- There are no lifeline route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- There are no non-lifeline route closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire closures.

Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center activations at this time.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current highway conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current highway conditions.



California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

Service Interruptions:

- None Reported

Remote/Community Isolations:

- None Reported

WEATHER OF CONCERN

Weather of Concern

- High pressure over the eastern Pacific and west coast will bring warm and very dry conditions over the next several days. Breezy north winds will bring increased fire danger through Tuesday night.
- A Red Flag Warning is now in effect for the North and East Bay Hills today through Wednesday afternoon. Northeast winds 10-20 mph, with gusts up to 25mph will be possible. Humidity values will be around 15% during the afternoon hours, and less than 30% for these areas overnight.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

- <https://alerts-v2.weather.gov/counties/CA>

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

*** Marginal High Risk of Significant Fire Potential today and Tuesday Sacramento Valley/Surrounding Foothills for moderate N to NE Winds/low RH ***

Strong high pressure over the Pacific NW will remain in place for a few days before it slowly shifts inland later this week. This will help generate light to moderately strong, gusty N to NE winds with low daytime RH and poor to moderate overnight RH recovery in the Sacramento Valley/Surrounding Foothills and portions of the Bay Area and Mid Coast to Mendocino PSA's. This will lead to a marginal "High Risk" event of Significant Fire Potential for the Sacramento Valley and Surrounding Foothills today and Tuesday and increase Significant Fire Potential in portions of the other areas mentioned. Peak wind gusts during this event will continue to be 20-30 mph at times in and around the Sacramento Valley today through Tuesday morning, and minimum RH will likely range from about 12-19%. Late Wednesday the high will begin shifting inland and a weak low pressure trough will arrive late Thursday and may bring a bit of light precipitation to the far NW corner of the state as it moves ashore Friday. Dry, mild weather will remain in place all week for most locations in spite of that trough arriving late in the week.

Temperatures will be warming to above normal values this week and remain there (low 90's warmest inland valleys). Lowest afternoon RH will largely be around 12-20% much of the week. Lighter winds are expected starting Wednesday.

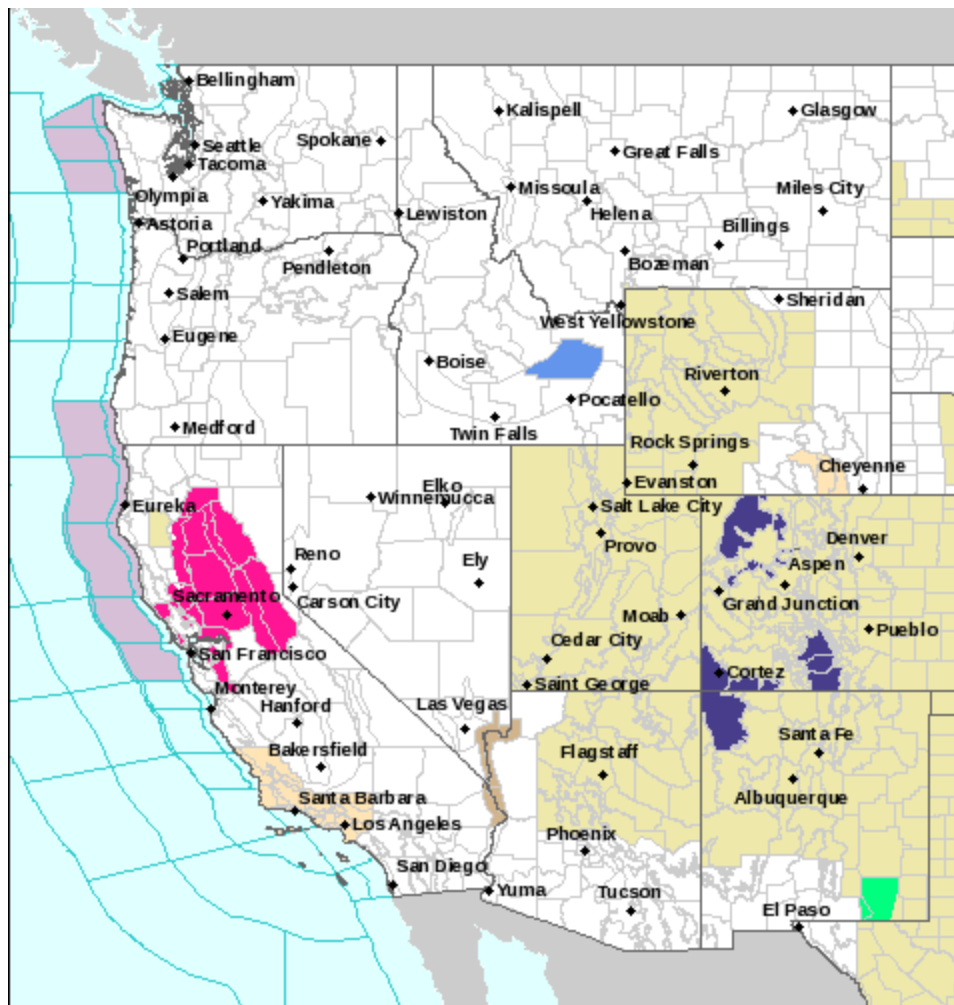
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Gusty offshore winds across Southern California through Wednesday morning

Warm and dry through this weekend

Surface high pressure over the Great Basin will bring local offshore winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph to the mountains and below the canyons and passes of Southern California through Wednesday morning. High pressure aloft over the eastern Pacific Ocean will bring a couple degrees of warming along with minimum humidity in the teens each day through this weekend. Maximum temperatures will be in the mid 60s to mid 70s across the mountains and 80s to low 90s in the valleys today. Light offshore flow will occur Wednesday afternoon through this weekend.

WEATHER MAP



- [Freeze Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Flood Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Lake Wind Advisory](#)
- [Frost Advisory](#)
- [Hazardous Seas Watch](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)
- [Short Term Forecast](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- Nothing Significant to Report

Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

- **2017-Cal OES-35819:** Twelve Caltrans engineers requested to conduct damage and site inspections throughout the state for impacts related to 2017 February Winter Storms. The lead engineer will report to the Joint Field Office to coordinate the response.
- **2017-Coastal-37716:** One Air Monitor for Humboldt County (On Scene)
- **2017-Inland-37776:** Two Air Monitors for Mariposa County (On Scene)
- **2017-Inland-38039:** Five California Air Resources Board (CARB) air monitors have been placed in Siskiyou County to monitor smoke from numerous wildfires in Siskiyou County as well as smoke drifting into Siskiyou County from wildfires in Modoc, Trinity, Del Norte and Humboldt counties. (On Scene)
- **2017-SOC-38314:** One California Department of Parks and Recreation Associate State Archeologist to support the Joint Field Office (JFO) from 08/28/17 to 09/29/17. In coordination with a Cal OES Senior Environmental Planner, the Associate State Archeologist will review Disaster Damage Descriptions for potential California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) requests and request CHRIS reports when necessary.
- **2017-Cal OES-38400:** One Air Quality E-BAM modem for Klamath (Del Norte OA)
- **2017-Cal OES-38404:** One Air Quality Monitor/E-BAM modem for Gasquet (Del Norte OA)
- **2017-IREOC-38682:** DTSC Hazardous Waste Task Force
- **2017-IREOC-38683:** CalRecycle Debris Management Task Force
- **2017-Cal OES-38725:** Caltrans to perform bridge inspections on the National Trails Highway, San Bernardino County



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